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(57) Abstract

A method of inhibiting tumor-cell growth, by administering a pharmaceutically effective amount of a 2-aryl-4-quinolone compound, is disclosed. The 2-aryl-4-quinolone compound is effective to inhibit tumor cell growth in tumors in which multiple drug resistance is encountered. Also disclosed are novel 2-aryl-4-quinolone anti-tumor compounds.

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